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AS IRAN'S FIRST AMBASSADOR TO MEXICO, HOSSEIN ESHRAGHI IS CREDITED WITH PROVIDING A SUCCESSFUL START IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF SUBSTANTIVE MEXICAN-IRANIAN RELATIONS. ALTHOUGH THE IRANIAN EMBASSY IS ONLY TWO YEARS OLD, IRAN IS THE MIDDLE EAST COUNTRY WITH WHICH MEXICO HAS ESTABLISHED ITS MOST SUCCESSFUL DIALOGUE FOR FUTURE ECONOMIC COOPERATION. (FOR MOST RECENT REPORTING, SEE EMBASSY'S MEMCON DATED AUGUST 15, 1977). IN DIPLOMATIC CIRCLES, ESHRAGHI WAS LESS SUCCESSFUL, APPARENTLY BY HIS OWN CHOOSING, PREFERRING MEXICO'S JET SET CROWD TO THE ENDLESS ROUND OF DIPLOMATIC RECEPTIONS AND CULTURAL EVENTS. HOWEVER, THOSE WHO HAVE HAD PROFESSIONAL DEALINGS WITH ESHRAGHI CONSIDER HIM A SMOOTH AND CAPABLE DIPLOMAT.
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